

Jan. 20, 1941

- 1 The Executive Board of the N.J. Urban League met on the above date with eleven present and the President in the chair. Minutes of the previous meeting read and accepted.

A Communication from Washington informed that no school for colored enrollees had been set up to prepare them to act as sub-alterns in C.C. camps.

- The Executive Secy read a copy of the letter which he had written at the request of Judge Siegler who wanted to include items from it in a communication to Gov. Edison. However Judge Siegler sent the entire letter as written. In it the Secy had listed the hardships and discriminations under which the Negro citizens of N.J. existed and pointed out that he had no representation in the Administration Dept. of the Commission on Disarmament, on the Civil Service Commission, on the Labor Relations Board, on the Dept. of Public Instruction.

- Dr. Levy suggested that working for Negro representation on State Boards would be one of the best things the Urban League might do, especially on the last three named.

After some discussion, motion was made by Dr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Tate and carried that a committee be

appointed to investigate the situation and make recommendations.

① Treasurer's report allowed:

Expenses 705.87
Balance on hand 432.59
Outstanding bills ?

Mr Tate reported on the activities of the social service and industrial committee who had recommended a change in program emphasis with necessary budget adjustments.

The special com. appointed to consider ^{the past year's report} the above recommendations had approved them and had planned an interview with candidates for the position of Industrial Secy.

② After discussion this report was approved upon motion by Dr Phillips seconded by Mr. Parker.

Feb 15th has been the date set for the beginning of the employment of the secy.

The com. further reported on the interviews with four candidates.

③ After short discussion motion by Dr Phillips, seconded by Miss Shepard and carried that the final selection be left to the special committee.

The resolutions ordered at the Dec meeting in connection with the Maynor Concert were read by the Executive.

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Motion by Miss Shepard seconded by
Mrs. Gillette that the com. be discharged
with thanks

Report was made on inspection trips
by board members. A priority list of
needed improvements will be established.
Motion by Mr. Panke, seconded by Mr. Tate
and carried that the House Com. be
reappointed in order to take of
the renovation in a manner most
satisfactory.

In discussing membership, motion
was made by Mr. Tate seconded by Mrs.
Gillette and carried that the Member-
ship Com. draw up a plan whereby
the recipients of employment service -
employer and employee may have
the privilege of becoming members of
the N. J. Urban League.

Funds allocated from the Community
Christ for 1941 - \$ 7255.24 (?)

From special gift \$104.50

There being no further business the
meeting was adjourned.

W. M. Jamfer, Sec'y